

REMARKS

Claims 1-19 are pending in this application. Claims 4-6 and 8-18 have been amended to remove any multiple dependencies. The Abstract of the Disclosure and Figure 2 of the drawings have also been amended.


Entry of the above amendments is earnestly solicited. Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Should there be any matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPENDIX:

The Appendix includes the following items:

- an amended Abstract of the Disclosure
- a Replacement Sheet for Figure 2 of the drawings